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ONTO A CONTAINER  
10 Docket No. : 62274B  
Customer No. : 00109

Mail Stop Amendment  
15 Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

RESPONSE

Responsive to the Official Action dated September 20, 2007, please amend the specification and claims as detailed hereinafter and reconsider the claims in view of the arguments presented hereinafter.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.